

**MURRAY STRIKE
ENDS; WORKERS
GET PAY BOOST**

29-Day-Old Walkout
Settled; Union Wins
Taft-Hartley Immunity

DETROIT, Aug. 19 (AP)—The Murray Corporation of America, waiving its right to court action under the Taft-Hartley law, today won an agreement from the CIO United Auto Workers settling a 29-day strike of 7000 employees.

In return, the union faced tight restrictions about its members' rights to strike and completely outlawed slowdown and sitdown strikes.

The company also granted a 15 cent an hour wage increase retroactive to May 1.

The contract runs until Jan. 31, 1949.

The walkout of Murray employees July 21 created an automotive supply bottleneck affecting 65,000 production workers in other Detroit plants.

President Clarence Avery of the company, said the agreement was "in accordance with the provisions of the Taft-Hartley law."

Union spokesmen hailed it as a "completely satisfactory" answer to a demand for immunity from Taft-Hartley penalty provisions.

Earlier they had termed the company a "beachhead" in the union's national campaign to obtain such immunity.

The agreement outlawed without qualification the slowdown and sitdown strike.

The union agreed not to strike over production standards, over certain unspecified "management prerogatives" or for change in the contract itself.

Further, the UAW-CIO agreed not to authorize any strike or picketing until sanction was given by the international union and until 45 days had elapsed from the filing of any grievance.

In event of an unauthorized strike, the union promised immediately to post notices directing its members to return to their jobs.

An unauthorized strike, it was further agreed, would give the company the right to discharge participants unless the union objected. In the latter case the discharges would be treated as grievances and no strike would be called unless sanctioned by the international.

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**U. N. Admits Failure
In Balkan Problem;
Reds Use Veto Again**

By MAX HARRELSON

LAKE SUCCESS, Aug. 19 (AP)—The United Nations Security council tonight admitted its inability to solve the explosive Balkan problem after Russia invoked the big power veto to kill two more American-supported attempts at a solution.

At the end of a stormy session, the 60th council meeting held on the Balkan question, Council President Faris El Khoury of Syria told the delegates they had reached the end of the road.

There was nothing left, he said, but to refer the problem to the 55-nation General assembly which meets in New York Sept. 16 and to inform the assembly that the veto had paralyzed the council.

Herschel V. Johnson, deputy U.S. delegate, said after the meeting that if the assembly also failed to find a solution, the United States would consider new steps. He said there was nothing in the U.N. charter to prevent joint military action in defense of Greece.

The council's failure to reach a decision left the fate of the Balkan investigating commission and its subsidiary group in doubt. El Khoury expressed a belief that these bodies would continue indefinitely, but Russia and Poland challenged his opinion.

The general belief was that they might withdraw their representatives from the Balkan groups. El Khoury told newsmen he thought this possible.

Soviet Delegate Andrei A. Gromyko ran Russia's string of vetoes up to 16 with his two this evening. He had invoked this special voting privilege three times yesterday to block the admission of Ireland, Portugal and Transjordan to the U.N.

The Balkan proposals he killed were:

1. An Australian resolution supported by the United States, to order Greece, Albania, Bulgaria and Yugoslavia to "cease all acts of provocation" and to try to settle their differences by direct negotiations.

2. An American resolution, declaring that Albania, Bulgaria and Yugoslavia were threatening peace by aiding Greek guerrillas and ordering them to stop such actions immediately.

The vote on both resolutions (Continued on Page Three)

**U. S. Offer to Aid
Dutch-Indonesian
Plight Withdrawn**

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19 (AP)—The United States formally withdrew today its offer to bring the Indonesians and the Dutch together for direct negotiations for a peaceful settlement of their small scale hostilities.

The action came after Indonesia refused to accept without qualification this nation's proposal that it bring the two countries together.

In Lake Success, N. Y., Soviet spokesman contended before the United Nations Security council today that the United States offer was an attempt to by-pass the United Nations.

Indonesia, on Sunday, qualified its acceptance of the U. S. offer with an obvious invitation for the United Nations Security council to take priority in handling the dispute.

On two previous occasions Indonesia had insisted that the Security council take jurisdiction—a condition which the State department found unacceptable in offering to serve as a go-between.

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**London Daily Mail Declares
Attlee to Quit as Prime Minister**

LONDON, Aug. 19 (AP)—The Daily Mail said tonight that Prime Minister Clement Attlee "had told his closest colleagues in the government that for reasons of health he intends to resign the premiership in the near future."

A page one story by Wilson Broadbent, the Mail's veteran political correspondent, reported "It was said in usually well-informed circles last night that Mr. Attlee will nominate Mr. Ernest Bevin, the foreign secretary, as his successor."

Sir Stafford Cripps, president of the board of trade, "is already mentioned" as Dalton's successor in the treasury post, the Mail said. (About the time the first edition of Wednesday's Mail appeared on the streets tonight, a government announcement said Cripps had canceled plans to visit Burma at the end of this month "owing to the pressure of public business.")

All cabinet ministers have kept silent about Sunday's hastily-called cabinet meeting, which some authoritative sources said was ordered to discuss the Washington loan revision talks Attlee himself left London today to resume his vacation in Wales.

The Mail said that Sunday—

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**INDIA AS POWER
IN ASIA VIEWED
BY SECRETARY**

Dr. Manikam Tells
Kiwanis Two Groups
Depend on Each Other

Dr. Rajah B. Manikam, executive secretary of the National Christian council of India, Burma and Ceylon, predicted the eventual rise of India to a position of leading power in Asia before a meeting of the Pottstown Kiwanis club, held last night in the Elks' home.

The 400-million of the sub-continent, recently split into the new nations of Hindu India and Moslem Pakistan, will not be a threat to the West, Dr. Manikam predicted, but will be a re-united nation of peace-loving, non-aggressive people.

The Indian church leader said that the new nations will re-unite for two reasons—because the agricultural North needs the industries of the South, and because the recent split divided Pakistan into two areas.

In his talk, "India Present and Future," Dr. Manikam traced the complicating differences in the huge Indian area, in climate, religion, race, and in standards of living, contrasting the luxuriance of a few rich princes with the overwhelming poverty of the mass of the people.

As rescue workers continued to search the shambles for additional bodies, acting civil Governor Antonio Fernandez Fernan and Mayor Francisco Sanchez Cossio estimated that the total death toll probably would be more than 200.

Ninety-nine bodies were counted in the city morgue and 35 more in hospitals in and around Cadiz. There was no official count of the injured, but unofficial estimates put the number as high as 5000.

First estimates that the toll might reach 400 were based on the belief that approximately 300 persons had been at work in a factory which was demolished by the blast, along with a hospital and an orphanage.

It later developed, however, that only 30 men were on the job in the factory at the time of the explosion.

Electric light service was restored to the stricken city late last night and five additional army planes arrived from Spanish Morocco with medical equipment.

Generalissimo Francisco Franco's government meanwhile banned publication in Spanish newspapers of any estimates of the casualty toll.

All evening newspapers in Madrid devoted columns to the explosion but in obedience to the government order did not give any casualty estimates. Not a single picture was published.

The office of the captain general of Sevilla province which has jurisdiction over Cadiz said neither the destruction nor the casualties were as great as reported, but he declined to disclose official estimates.

An official said part of the water conduit had been repaired along with communication and electric power lines.

An official explanation of the explosion still was not available tonight, nearly 24 hours after the blast caused thousands to stampede from houses and public places.

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**Typographical Union
Urges Admittance
Of Lithographers**

CLEVELAND, Aug. 19 (AP)—The AFL-International Typographical union today extended a formal invitation to the 18,000 members of the CIO-Amalgamated Lithographers union to join the ITU.

The printers' union amended its by-laws in convention here in order to give the lithographers a separate department within the ITU if the proposal is accepted.

The lithographers went into the CIO a year ago after a long-simmering controversy with the AFL pressmen and photo engravers.

ITU president Woodruff Randolph, arguing for adoption of the law changes to permit the absorption of Lithographers, said the two unions would be thrown together closer and closer in the future as offset printing—a craft in which lithographers do the work of pressmen and photoengravers—becomes more generally used.

Randolph and the pressmen's union leaders have scrapped, too, in recent years.

Randolph said he would extend the invitation to the lithographers personally at their convention next month.

The issue of Communism came into off-the-floor discussions at the printers' convention today, and action must be taken before the delegates leave town on a proposal to ban any Communist from holding office in the union.

The proposal was submitted by delegate Charles D. Tucker of Indianapolis. He would rule out as a candidate any person who was a member of the Communist party or was affiliated indirectly with such party. "Or who believes in or advocates the overthrow of the United States government by force, or by

any other means," he said.

In another statement, the group called as unrepresentative what it called the leftist makeup of most of the American delegation. The statements were issued through the United States embassy, but not by the embassy.

The statement on the dentition of the American girl, Eleanor Roberts, said the Communist committee member and an officer in the uniform of a lieutenant in the Czechoslovak army (Czechoslovak security police wear the same uniform as the army) interfered with preparations of a letter which the group planned to circulate.

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**Prowlers Have Party
With Stolen Goods**

Evidences of a nocturnal party at the Lincoln school playgrounds Oak and York streets, were discovered yesterday morning by a supervisor who notified police at 9:45 o'clock that she had found a lot of empty ice cream and candy containers lying around the grounds.

Patrolman Harold E. Hahn investigated and he learned that Marvin's Cup, located on Farmington avenue north of its intersection with Oak street, had been broken into some time during Monday night or early yesterday morning. Police believe, articles stolen then were used for a party at the playgrounds.

Entrance to the "Cup" was made by forcing a front door. There is evidence that the prowlers first vainly tried to get into the rear door.

Some oil-soaked cleaning rags at the rear of Kiss' shop had burst into flame, but a few buckets of water extinguished the blaze within a few minutes.

Articles valued at about \$50 were stolen. They included three boxes of chewing gum, eight cartons of cigarettes, three boxes of candy bars, one box of cigars, five cans of smoking tobacco, two cans of ice cream and one box of popcicles.

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INDONESIA ASKS FOR U. N. HELP AGAINST DUTCH

Republicans Turn Down Suggestions for Talks With the Netherlands

LAKE SUCCES, Aug. 19 (AP)—The Indonesian republic today swept aside suggestions for direct negotiations with the Dutch over hostilities in the East Indies and appealed to the Security Council to order United Nations arbitration.

Former premier Sultan Sjahrir, addressing the council and reporters of preparedness for bitter-end fighting in Indonesia, said the Dutch were holding a pistol at the heads of the Indonesians and this would block free negotiations.

His renewed request for U. N. investigation and arbitration foreshadowed the termination of the American offer of good offices. Subsequently the withdrawal of the U. S. offer was announced in Washington.

U. S. Deputy Delegate Herschel V. Johnson viewed Sjahrir's speech as an outright rejection of the American offer. The Netherlands had accepted.

Sjahrir told the council in a bitter speech that the Dutch were bent on destroying his country. He said Indonesia asked the help of the council "because we have no faith in the honesty and good will of the Dutch government."

"How can there be free negotiations when one party stands with a pistol pointed at the head of the other?" he asked.

The Indonesian speech came along with these developments.

1. China, backed by the United States, proposed that the council adopt a Dutch plan for appointment of one "impartial state" to inquire into the situation and supervise the cease-fire order which was given two weeks ago and has been reported violated by both sides. Career consuls stationed in Batavia would make preliminary reports.

2. Russia charged that the United States was attempting to "force" its good offices on Indonesia and was showing disregard of the Indonesian people and lack of respect for the council. The American move was described by Russia as a "dangerous" attempt to "pass the U. N."

3. Russia also strongly supported the Indonesian plea for council commissions of investigation and arbitration, declaring the case must be settled inside the council.

4. Australia, mover of the original resolution for a council commission, rejected the Chinese amendment and said the council should first dispatch a five-national body of investigation to Indonesia and then turn to arbitration.

5. The Indonesian commander-in-chief in Java broadcast an order to his troops to prepare for prolonged warfare. The message came after the Netherlands army there announced "drastic retaliatory measures" had been taken against Indonesian forces.

ODT Lifts Embargo On Coal to Canada

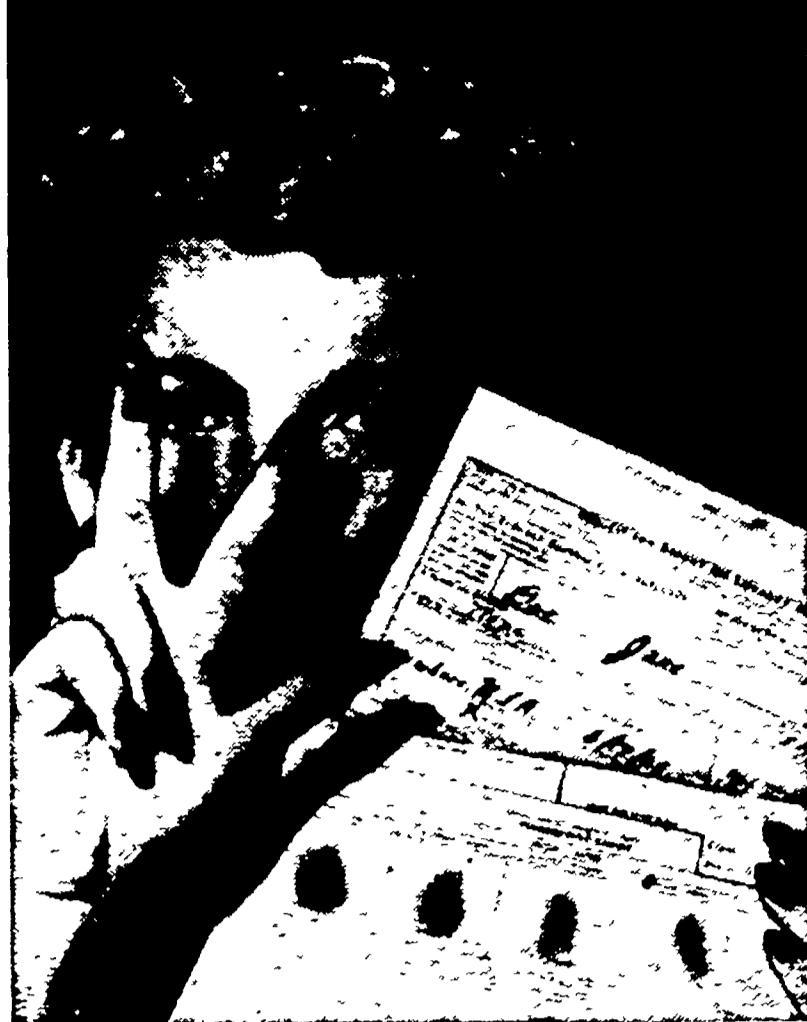
WASHINGTON, Aug. 19 (AP)—A short-lived row between the United States and Canada ended today when the Office of Defense Transportation lifted a partial embargo on U. S. coal shipments to the dominion.

The embargo, invoked by ODT the past Wednesday midnight followed a dispute over delay in returning badly-needed U. S. freight cars from Canada.

The Canadian government had sent a vigorous note of protest against the action, but an amicable ending was indicated by the Canadian minister to Washington, Thomas Stone, who told reporters: "Our two countries do not squabble for long about anything."

ODT officials, however, said the Canadian protest "had no effect" on the lifting of the embargo. They expressed belief that the purpose of the ban had been served by the return of American cars.

U. S. Starts Loyalty Check



A civil service employee in Washington, Barbara Mathier, holding sample forms, inks her fingers before placing her fingerprints on the questionnaires she must fill out in the Government's "loyalty check." The probe by the Federal Bureau of Investigation and the Civil Service Commission is the first of its kind in the nation's history.

Truman Juggles Executive Posts To Hasten Placement of Refugees

Observers Believe Storm May Destroy Fish Killing Tide

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19 (AP)—President Truman reshuffled top administrative assignments today in preparation for a new attack by executive agencies and in Congress on the problem of Europe's 860,000 displaced persons.

Ugo Carusi was shifted from commissioner of immigration and naturalization to a new State department post to try to speed up efforts to resettle the war refugees who now are a heavy burden on the American occupation zones in Germany and Austria.

Watson B. Miller resigned as Federal security commissioner to succeed Carusi. Oscar Ross Ewing, former assistant chairman of the Democratic national committee, was named to Miller's post. Both are recess appointments subject to Senate confirmation in January.

Carusi will serve as a special assistant to Charles E. Saltzman, new assistant secretary of state for occupied areas, and will take full charge of an international survey of all phases of the DP problem.

The survey will cover operations of the new International Refugee organization, along with administration of Mr. Truman's executive order of Dec. 22, 1945. It is expected to take Carusi to South America as well as Europe.

Four congressional committees meanwhile are preparing independent surveys in preparation for an expected revival at the next session of the issue of lowering United States immigration bars to war refugees. Two major measures are ready for consideration. Hearings were completed before the recess by a House judiciary subcommittee on the Administration-backed bill by Representative Stratton (R-II) to admit 400,000 over a four-year period and nine senators have introduced somewhat similar legislation.

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FOREIGN TRADE MAY SAG FROM BRITISH BENEFITS

England Only Nation To Increase Purchases During Month of July

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19 (AP)—European purchases of American goods, which sagged 16 percent in June, may be further reduced by trade concessions to the British at the Anglo-American Dollar conference here, American officials predicted today.

The Commerce department reported that hard-pressed England, now suffering an economic crisis, was the only major European nation to increase its buying from the U. S. in June. British purchases here totalled \$29,800,000 for the month, \$5,300,000 more than in May.

Most other nations reduced their American purchases. That resulted in the first sizeable postwar decline of U. S. exports.

Britain since has announced a \$250,000,000 cut in imports for the rest of this year, chiefly from this country, and is likely to emerge from the talks here with a green light to increase her trade with the British dominions at the expense of purchases of American goods.

American officials agreed it may be possible without approval of Congress to modify the "non-discrimination" clause of the \$3,150,000,000 British loan agreement as one means of checking the drain on British dollar supply.

The clause prevents England from "discriminating" against United States products unless she can get a lower price or better quality elsewhere. A relaxation would permit her to use more pounds and fewer dollars in supplying the imports needs of the British Isles.

While England's retrenchment measures by themselves will have little effect on the level of prices and production in this country, Federal economists said, they may accelerate the predicted decline in America's record breaking export trade by the end of this year. President Truman recently described the export volume as one of the temporary props of American prosperity and warned that the dollar balances of foreign countries were getting low.

Admiral King Reported Definitely Improved

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19 (AP)—Pilot Admiral Ernest J. King showed a "definite improvement in his condition today," the Naval hospital reported.

He has been at the hospital since the past week suffering from hardening of the arteries and a mild stroke.

This afternoon the hospital reported: "Admiral King showed a definite improvement during the day."

Position of the storm at that time was about 220 miles west-southwest of Key West with strong winds of 40 to 50 miles per hour.

Dr. F. G. Walton Smith, director of the University of Miami marine laboratory, said the storm in its present location and its westward movement would prevent it from having any effect on the "red tides" which have caused catastrophic deaths among fish.

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Marshall Readies Address For Inter-American Session

Louise Overell Wins Two Points at Trial Of Murdered Parents

SANTA ANA, Calif., Aug. 19 (AP)—Louise Overell, 18-year-old heiress,figuring to "free" herself from any claim of a conspiracy with her boy friend in the deaths of her parents, scored twice today at her trial on murder charges.

On motion of her attorneys, Superior Judge Kenneth E. Morrison ordered stricken from the record any reference to a bloodstained white tailored blouse found in a clothes chute in the Overell mansion a few days after her parents were slain aboard their yacht.

Prosecutor Eugene D. Williams concurred in elimination of that testimony, acknowledging "we have been unable to identify the blouse."

The judge also ruled out any

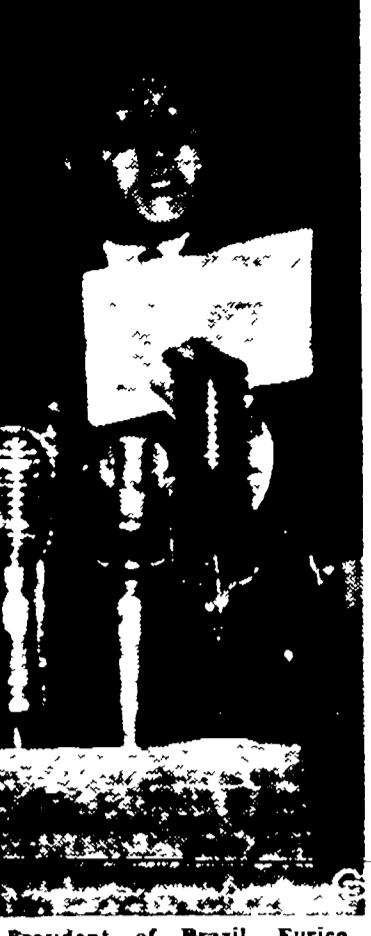
testimony about her contained in conversations involving boy friend George (Bud) Gollum, unless she was present at the time.

Specifically, this eliminated testimony of Sheriff's Capt. Tom McGaff that Gollum had explained bloodstains on his clothing by saying that Louise suffered a nose bleed during a visit to the beach. McGaff later testified that Louise denied him that she had suffered such a nose bleed.

Under the same heading would come statements from schoolmates of Gollum that he had discussed with them his anticipated marriage with Louise despite parental threats "to cut her off without a cent."

President of Brazil, Eurico Gaspar Dutra is shown as he addressed one of the sessions of the Inter-American Defense Conference at Petropolis, Brazil. He urged the drafting of a strong defense pact for the western hemisphere.

At Rio Parley



Divorcee and Cousin Plan Simple Wedding

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 19 (AP)—A 42-year-old divorcee and her 17-year-old cousin today made plans to wed in a simple ceremony Thursday.

Mrs. Alice D. Thompson, a brown-eyed blonde who married her first husband when her present fiance was three years old, and George Mikszan, young apprentice pressman, applied for a license last week.

The couple live with George's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Ballard, who raised the motherless boy from infancy. Mrs. Thompson, a niece of Mrs. Ballard, met George when she went to live with the Ballards while awaiting her divorce.

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Lions Members Hear Report of Meetings In Atlantic City

Fifty members of the Pottstown Lions club, meeting in the Dutch Grille last night, heard First Vice President William A. White discuss his two-week vacation, from which he recently returned.

White attended two Lion club meetings at Atlantic City while away, and reported on both of them last night.

At the first, he heard a talk by Edwin A. Rowlands, an autograph collector whose collection includes the names of Babe Ruth, Douglas Fairbanks, Albert Einstein, Luis Pons, Amelia Earhart, and Helen Keller.

A hobbyist as well as an autograph hound, Rowlands displayed a picture frame he constructed largely of matchsticks.

At a second meeting, White narrated, he heard John DeGrazia, football coach at Holy Cross, who told the audience that he would seek aification of football rules for all players, from junior high school age through to professional teams.

President William H. Walker presided last night.

Many people in ancient times and in the Middle Ages believed that cotton grew on lamas which were attached to plants.

HOUSING PROBE —

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McCarthy reported that after the verbal battle with Tobe, he offered to shake Tobe's hand but that the latter refused.

The friction between the two Republicans dates back to their bitter differences over the Taft-Hartley-Wagner bill to set up a long range housing program.

Tobe voted for the bill in the Senate banking committee, of which he is chairman, and McCarthy voted against it. A 7 to 5 vote of the banking group sent the measure to the Senate floor, but it never came up for action.

The bill is intended to encourage construction of 15,000,000 new homes over a ten-year period.

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Navy to Drop Fruitless Hunt For Atcheson

HONOLULU, Aug. 19 (AP) — The Hawaiian Sea Frontier, after a third fruitless night, announced today it probably would abandon at dusk its apparently hopeless search for Ambassador George Atcheson, Jr., and four others missing in the fatal crash of his Washington-bound plane.

Army, Navy and Marine aircraft and Navy destroyers and an oiler have searched for the men almost from the minute the Army B-17, out of gasoline, made a forced landing on the ocean nearly 100 miles west of Honolulu Saturday midnight.

Three survivors and five bodies were recovered.

Brig. Gen. Frederick V. Kimble of the air inspectors' office arrived today from Washington, D. C., to conduct an inquiry. Veteran airmen here attributed the tragedy to a mechanical failure and perhaps human error.

The plane was carrying Atcheson from Tokyo toward Washington for conferences preliminary to drafting a peace treaty with Japan.

The convention took a crack at the National Guard today by refusing to hold jobs open in print shops for officer-members who take time out for active military training.

U. N. FAILS —

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to festival participants and newsmen. Miss Roberts was a member of the group preparing the letter.

Upon entering the room where the letter was being translated, the statement continued, the Communist committee member and the lieutenant said they had learned that anti-Communist propaganda was being prepared there. They demanded copies and the original, and when this was refused kept Miss Roberts and six Czechoslovak girl translators in a room under guard, the statement said.

The Czechoslovak girls were asked to tell their political affiliations, the statement said, adding that Miss Roberts was told if she failed to give up the letter the lieutenant would "bring the entire political police of Czechoslovakia into action." She and the translators finally were released, however, without action.

Successor?



William J. Sebold, (above), Baltimore, Md., is first in line as a possible successor to George C. Atcheson, believed lost in a Pacific plane accident, on the allied control council for Japan, a State department spokesman said at Washington.

EXPLOSION —

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thinking an earthquake was rocking the city.

One report, however, attributed to the fire chief of the City of Sevilla, said the explosion of a gas engine in nearby shipyards set off a fire which spread to the torpedo plant and exploded 500 mines.

Most of the thousands of injured were suffering cuts from glass and falling debris.

Great material damage was at the Echevarrieta and Larrinaga shipyards which were completely destroyed, along with many ships.

Unofficial sources said the loss here alone was 100,000,000 pesetas (\$10,000,000).

The shipyards had a night shift of 700 men and many were believed to have perished.

Bridegroom, 98, Finds 3d Marriage a Prison

LONG BEACH, Calif., Aug. 19 (AP) — Moses S. Lane, 98, who on his wedding day, June 1, announced

"Life is just beginning for me," has had two and a half months to think it over.

Today Lane's attorney filed suit for annulment of his marriage to Virby H. Fox Lane, 46, his former housekeeper. He charged that she "imprisoned him" by refusing to let him leave their house, and "disposed of portions of his property."

Lane, a retired contractor, outlined three previous wives and has two daughters, 78 and 64.

ROADS FLOODED

JACATA, Mexico, Aug. 19 (AP) — Relief parties carrying food and medicine were on their way to tragedian Taman today over mountain paths and trails as travel over the Pan-American highway was still impossible because of floods and landslides.

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Hazardous Tree Limbs Scheduled for Trimming

(Continued From Page One) 45 days after the ordinance was filed.

In return for these promises, the company agreed:

"That neither the union, its officers, agents or members shall be liable for damages for unauthorized stoppages, strikes, intentional slowdowns or suspension of work."

Avary hailed the accord as recognizing "the principal of union responsibility."

Fire Chief Richard E. Lancaster this week named to Borough Manager Dow L. Sears a copy of the report made by Harry E. Verger, following a tour made over the various streets of the borough. The list of places where there are low hanging limbs is surprisingly large.

The walkout at Murray began July 21 after injection of the Taft-Hartley issue had stalled what appeared to be a near agreement.

The break in the flow of body frames from Murray forced Ford Motor company to close its Mercury and Lincoln assembly lines, idling 4,000 workers. Ford also placed 51,000 other employees on a three day week.

Studebaker corporation laid off an estimate 10,000 other production workers as a result of the Murray dispute.

From a transcript of negotiations, Avery at one time quoted Emil Mazey, regional UAW-CIO director as saying:

"To put our position simply and bluntly, what we are saying is, 'In order for us to operate our plants, you will have to agree you will not sue the union under the provisions of the Taft-Hartley bill.'

At Hahnemann hospital, Sebold said the door swung shut behind him and he kicked at the side until he was overcome by dry ice.

ASKS BOND ISSUE

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 19 (AP) — An uncharred pedestrian saved the driver of an ice cream truck from possible death today after the latter was trapped inside the freezer unit of the vehicle.

Paramedic Robert W. Indus said a passerby told him he heard a range noise inside the truck, and he investigated. As the officer opened the door of the ice cream compartment the unconscious form of the driver, John Sebastian, 25, fell into his arms.

At Hahnemann hospital, Sebold said the door swung shut behind him and he kicked at the side until he was overcome by dry ice.

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Lansdale Celebrates 75th Year as Borough

The 75th anniversary of the incorporation of the borough of Lansdale is being celebrated this week. Burgess William A. Griffin has sent the following letter to Burgess Elwood E. Bean of Lansdale:

"As the Burgess of your neighboring borough of Pottstown, I wish to extend to you and your people our hearty congratulations on the eve of your borough's 75th anniversary.

"The citizens of Pottstown wish for you many years of continued progress in order that this celebration may be repeated each succeeding year with the same feeling of something well done which is a good advertisement of our great country."

"I wish to add my personal congratulations to you and may this 75th anniversary be one of the outstanding events of your term of office."

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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 20, 1947

In good books is one of the best safeguards from evil. Life's first danger has been said to be an empty mind which, like an unoccupied room, is open for base spirits to enter. The taste for reading provides a pleasant and elevating preoccupation.—H. W. Grout.

For Our Children

POTTSWELL borough council's finance committee meets tonight to discuss amusement taxes. The group, of which J. Max Creswell is chairman, plans to levy on all amusements to which admission is charged.

It is not the purpose of this editorial to suggest to the committee what percentage of the admission price should be the tax. The Mercury believes the committee will not soak the customer too hard—and it is the little man on the street who will pay the tax.

But we have a suggestion that the revenue accruing from this admission tax be placed in a separate borough fund and used only for playground purposes. By that we mean to build, maintain, acquire playgrounds, provide equipment for them, and hire proper super-visors.

Pottstown's lack of playgrounds is a blotch on the community's love for its children. Children just haven't a place to go to play. They haven't a decent place to swim.

Pottstown's playground program, it is true, perked up this summer. But much improvement is needed.

For instance, consider the necessity for the recreation department to take its playground pageant indoors tomorrow night. It was planned to present this colorful pageant in Manatawny park. But the present bandstand, which would have been used as a stage, was wholly unfit for presenting the play. There were no seating accommodations for the thousands expected to attend. AND THE MOSQUITOES AND OTHER PESTS WERE LIKELY TO EAT UP THOSE FOLKS WHO WOULD COME OUT.

It shouldn't be necessary for a pageant planned for the outdoors to be given indoors when Pottstown could produce the facilities in Manatawny park.

Every Pottstownian who has visited Montgomery county park in Green Lane can recite the advantages of that recreation spot.

Manatawny park has as many. It should be Pottstown's picnic place. It should be the town's recreation spot so far as tennis, quoits, baseball and other outdoors sports are concerned. It should have a bathing beach at river Montgomery county's park.

AND IT WOULD HAVE ALL THOSE ADVANTAGES IF POTTSTOWN WOULDN'T BE SO PENURIOUS ABOUT SUPPORTING PUBLIC RECREATION.

Pottstown's playgrounds likewise need more equipment. They need paid supervision the year round. In fact, the play program should become a year-round job. There should be sports and play for young and old every night in every school building.

Such a program could be achieved if funds were available. The money would be available if amusement taxes were diverted to recreation use.

It's not too late to atone for Pottstown's neglect of its children.

Pottstown's finance committee should consider this humane suggestion when it meets tonight.

Music Soothes Porkers

THE field of music broadens day by day. Music now speeds assembly lines, gets milk out of cows. And in Westville Grove, N. J., Arnold Litchman has it working on his pig farm.

When Litchman's neighbors complained that his blaring radio disturbed the peace for a mile around, police found not a party in progress, but loudspeakers rigged around the big pen, carrying music from a phonograph. It keeps the pigs from fighting, Litchman explained.

More Opinions Than Facts

THE Gallup Poll reveals that 33 percent of those questioned approved the Taft-Hartley Law, and 39 percent disapproved. But 15 percent said they couldn't think of any particular provision of the law that was especially good, and 23 percent said they couldn't recall any point that was particularly bad.

One might conclude from those figures that never was so much said by so many about something of which so few knew so little.

Grampaw Oakley

PUNKIN CORNERS

Editor, The Mercury,
Dear Sir 'n' Brother:

Wal, it's too bad the reporters forgot to ask that pilot who set a new around-the-world air speed record whether he managed to find a spot on the globe that wasn't having a heat wave.

One way to combat the heat wave is to invite a cool reception from the neighbors by asking them: "Is it hot enough for you?"

And say: In celebrating their independence, many Hindus ate candy, thus getting their first taste of the sweets of democracy.

Hope you are the same,

GRAMPAW NED OAKLEY

READERS SAY:
Imperial Nations Fail
To Rouse Sympathies

Letters must not be more than 250 words long of current topics and must not involve personalities. Name and address of writer must be submitted as evidence of genuineness, but will be withheld from publication on request. Poetry and communications advocating the election of political candidates are not acceptable.

By MERCURY READERS

No Tears to Shed

To the Editor: I'll not shed a tear for the economic plight of Great Britain, Holland, Belgium and France—these four imperial nations. Americans forget their own history too often and fail to recall the similarity of their struggles against British imperialism on this continent and the current strife in Palestine, Indonesia, Africa and other areas.

We read of the ruthless military acts of the British in Palestine and their treatment of the inhabitants as spies and terrorists, when in reality the Palestinians want to force out the British and govern themselves. In Indonesia, the Dutch authorities openly admit they seek the treasures of Java and Sumatra for their own economic gain and by brutal force of arms attempt to throttle self-government for the natives.

Did we not have our own Minute Men and our own heroes who harassed and fought the British redcoats and Hessians? Were not our own people treated roughly, called rebels and even hanged as spies of the same British colonial policy? Yet our own Government remains strangely silent and permits the use of lend-lease military equipment to quell the democratic forces in these colonial areas.

Boystown P. R. C.

Against Open-Toed Shoes

To the Editor: The return of darker shades of hose presages the possibility of once more admiring female ankles and calves.

If only the makers of women's shoes would recover their sanity and cut out the ridiculous open toe and shuffle-inducing open heel shoes the picture would be even brighter.

Whatever merits these silly fads may have had from a standpoint of ventilation, there certainly is no excuse for continuing them throughout the cold and slushy months.

C. S. L.

Those Double-Parkers Irk

To the Editor: I can understand why ice trucks and delivery trucks double park when they have deliveries to make if it takes only a minute or two. But I'll be darned if I see why they do it when there is parking space for them. People don't mind putting up with a little inconvenience if it's necessary, but it's not when there are perfectly good parking places available.

Pottstown J. L. R.

The Worry Clinic

By DR. GEORGE W. CRANE

FLOYD G., 24, sought my advice a year ago.

"Dr. Crane, I'm fed up with life," he said disgustedly. "I have no friends and don't much care."

"Besides, I don't enjoy the company of girls, for they make me ill at ease. I blush and am uncomfortable whenever I meet them."

"So I'd rather sit at home and read. Most people are stupid fools, anyway. They talk about inane subjects. Books are the best friends I have."

"Another trouble of mine is an exaggerated fear of disease. I'm afraid of dying. Dr. Crane, my life isn't worth living. I've considered ending it all. Can you help clear up the muddled mess in which I find myself, or is there no hope?"

In this educational column your editor offers you a "worry clinic" on psychological problems in an endeavor to promote emotional stability and happiness. For the more progressive modern newspapers are becoming our topmost educational mediums.

Through this column alone, you receive almost a college major in psychology, for I pour into it the practical content of a dozen courses in psychology that I have long taught in American universities.

I shall not describe my advice to Floyd but you may infer it from the following letter that arrived from him recently.

"Dear Doctor Crane," he started out. "You have probably forgotten about me by now, but I want to tell you that you have done more for me with one little typewritten sheet of paper than Aladdin could have done with his lamp."

"I am more popular now than I have ever been in my life. My fears are also fast becoming a thing of the past."

"I have even investigated some books in support of religion by men whose opinions I respected. I started going to church and joined a young people's league. This helped plenty, even if I didn't become a 'shouter.'

"I also began attending dances and social affairs. I scraped my reading of cynical modern authors who stress the futility of life. Instead, I chose authors who cheered me up, even if literary critics didn't classify their volumes as leaders in the field."

"I don't give a hang as long as I feel better when I finish the book. So back to 'Hamlet' and 'The Three Musketeers.'

"Back to Zane Grey and Sackett. I realize that I was topsy-turvy in my attitude previously, so I am trying to develop some social balsam and extrovert myself. It works, too, although it was hard going at the start. I had to drive myself along by sheer will power."

"But I remember what you said about cold sweat being the kind that really makes a man grow, so I gritted my teeth and stuck to my course. Now I can laugh at my fears, for I am actually becoming master of myself."

"My muddled state of mind is clearing up, too. I can go to a western movie, eat peanuts and enjoy myself, instead of taking the prudish college view that such things are vulgar or beneath the dignity of an intellectual man."

"My smug complacency in my superior education has vanished. I see that life is just a continuous school, with happiness, salary increases and a wife or sweetheart, offered to the good students in hours of diploma."

"Thanks a lot, Doctor Crane, for all you have done. You gave me a hand when I needed it desperately. I thought maybe you'd like to know how well your prescription worked."

"And so I do, Floyd. Thank you. Keep on going through the proper motions and you'll continue to feel the corresponding emotions!"

WASHINGTON

Labor Czars Plan
Campaign Revenge

By ROGER WARREN

(During Ray Tucker's vacation, Roger Warren will conduct this column.)

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19—Regardless of the results of the Taft-Hartley Statute in court action and industrial relations, the law has given the tossetes of organized labor a chance to rekindle the fires of class warfare and to give

America a sample of the class hatreds that doom Europe.

You can scarcely talk with a Washington labor leader these days before his eyes blaze and he predicts what his crowd will do to everyone who had a hand in making union czars toe the mark the same as big business moguls.

It makes no difference if a Senator or Congressman supported a hundred bills vital to our domestic economy and backed the bi-partisan program in foreign affairs, the sole test of whether or not he is slated for the Green-Murray political guillotine is how he stood on the Taft-Hartley.

If the National Association of Manufacturers applied the same criterion to the opponents of the measure, the whole campaign would be nothing but civil war—one group of society out to crush the other.

Sen. Ives

IT SHOULD Be An Axiom

HOOLYWOOD, Aug. 19—Had that

in the fairy tale—the one who killed the goose which laid golden

eggs—lived in the 20th century, it's

quite conceivable that he would have

become a motion picture tycoon. I

base that supposition on such goose-

killings as the one afforded

by the reissuance of an ancient

British-made thriller entitled "The

Patient Vanishes."

That stinker is now playing no less than three first-run theaters in Los Angeles—and over each theatre

available, is the announcement that

the star of "The Patient Vanishes"

is James Mason. I imagine that Mr.

Mason, seeing that picture released

wants to imitate the patient and

vanish, too—completely and for

a long, long time.

By what possible process of reasoning do the movie moguls conclude that it's good business to revive an ancient turkey like this picture, simply because the magic of a star's name will milk the unsuspecting public of a few more dollars? For the sake of that immediate profit, they are doing irreparable damage to the reputation of a star who deserves to be judged by his present high quality work, not by his performance he gave a decade ago. And not only are they destroying the value of their own multi-million-dollar attraction; they also are undermining the confidence of the theatre-going public. If that adds up to good business, I'm batty. I wonder that Mason, who has a habit of speaking his mind quite frankly, hasn't spoken loud and long about the unreliability of "The Patient Vanishes."

The United Steelworkers plan to raise one dollar from each of its 875,000 members as a political war chest. If all other CIO, AFL and independent unions do the same, the labor czars will have a campaign fund of \$16,250,000. Even if half of the members balk at kicking in a buck, the revenge fund will be tremendous.

Labor leaders privately admit that deluging Congress with letters, telegrams and phone calls has lost its effectiveness. The MCs now know that most organized pressure drives are not representative of public opinion. Instead the Murray outfit plans to refine those techniques of PAC that were successful when F.D.R. was in a race.

IT WILL PUT ON THE HEAT THROUGH SHOP STEWARDS, LOCAL UNION OFFICIALS AND DOOR-TO-DOOR CONTACTS. Taft was elected by 17,000 votes in 1944. There are 8800 precincts in Ohio. If PAC button-holders had persuaded only one voter in each of the precincts to change his view, the Republican Senate leader would have been licked.

Fifty million voted in 1940 when President Roosevelt sought a third term. Only 35 million went to the polls in 1946 when the GOP won. Labor is out to stampede the 15 million stay-at-home voters.

SOLIDARITY: Whip up hatred of Republicans and keep up hatred in labor's ranks is the formula used by union politicians. But the path to victory may not be as easy as it seems today.

IT IS SIGNIFICANT that in a recent poll, CIO members voted that the Labor rally song they liked best was "Solidarity Forever" (Tune: "John Brown's Body"). This is also the favorite of the "Commies" always sung by them in picket lines. The presence of "Commies" in unions is the fly in the ointment.

Murray is quietly replacing "Commie" officials in CIO with "Anti-Commie" whenever the terms of the Reds run out. He is soft peddling other radicals. Lee Pressman, for example, will write only a part of the CIO convention platform this year. But if foreign affairs loom large in the election, the "Commies" are bound to sound off and alarm the outside public.

The failure of the Socialist Utopia in Great Britain is not likely to be a selling point for an American labor party dominating Congress and the country.

On the walls of the United Steelworkers conference room in Washington life-sized painted portraits of Philip Murray and Franklin D. Roosevelt. President Truman, despite his leftist tinge, does not inspire the fanatical devotion of city-pavement labor. In the election labor still has Bill Green and Phil Murray, but no F.D.R.

Readers' questions on national affairs are discussed and answered each Saturday in this column. Readers are invited to send question direct to Ray Tucker, 6308 Hillcrest Pl., Chevy Chase, Md.

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Hitler's Physician Among 15 Nazi Doctors Convicted by U. S. Court for War Crimes

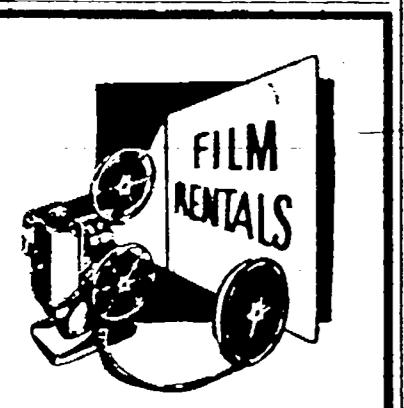
NUERNBERG, Germany, Aug. 19 (AP)—A four-American court today convicted 15 top Nazi doctors—including Dr. Karl Brandt, former personal physician to Adolf Hitler—of making a mockery out of human life by sending thousands of helpless concentration camp victims to their deaths in cruel and worthless medical experiments.

Among the 15 was one woman, Herta Oberhauser, physician at the Ravensbrueck concentration camp.

Brandt displayed no emotion upon hearing his fate. Frau Oberhauser bowed her head as if in shame.

The specific charge against them was committing war crimes and crimes against humanity. The scathing language of the 300-page judgment indicated that some might receive the death penalty when they come up for sentencing tomorrow.

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400 Million Loan Sought by Turkey From World Bank

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19 (AP)—Turkey was reported ready today to turn to the world bank for a \$400,000,000 loan after failing in repeated efforts to get an even larger credit from the United States.

Diplomatic officials said the Turks are preparing a detailed application requesting funds to modernize and reconstruct industry, transportation and agriculture.

This bid would follow two years of unsuccessful attempts by the Turkish government to get a \$500,000,000 credit from this country's export-import bank.

The request is entirely separate from the \$100,000,000 set aside under the Greek-Turkish aid program to purchase arms and munitions for the Turkish army.

At one point during the lengthy negotiations, the Turkish prime minister pleaded for the loan on the ground it would be of great material and moral assistance to his government which had just turned down a Russian demand for a greater share in defense of the Dardanelles.

Despite numerous conferences with the Turks on the question, the American Government declined to grant this large sum but did make \$25,000,000 available. Turkey was referred to the world bank for the rest.

World bank officials said they have received no application from the Turks yet while Turkish embassy officials said they could not comment. The biggest loan the world bank has made is one of \$250,000,000 to France.

Takes Last Run Behind Throttle



Railroading comes to close for 69-year-old Alfred Ricklefs of Toledo, O., as he heads his New York Central locomotive from Cleveland to his home town of Toledo, O., where he will retire after 48 years behind the throttle. Out of the engine cab, Ricklefs will follow his hobby—railroading—and first of all take his wife on a jaunt through the United States.

Coatesville Youth Killed in Accident

COATESVILLE, Aug. 19 (AP)—Earl Isaacs, 13, of Coatesville, was killed today in the collision of his motorbike and an automobile on the Lincoln highway here.

Deputy Coroner Fred B. Manship said Isaacs severed an artery under the arm when he crashed through the rear window of the automobile.

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Luther League Plans Roller Skate Party

Plans were completed for a roller skating party to be held tomorrow night at Ringing Rocks when the executive committee of the Senior Luther league of Emmanuel Lutheran church met in regular monthly session Monday night in home of Treasurer, H. Henry Burden, 332 Walnut street.

Members of Section B of the Norristown conference have been invited to join local members at the skating party. Committees were also named for a three-act play, to be given by the group Oct. 9.

William P. Schutt presided at the business session. The September meeting will be held in the home of Kathryn Hanley, 367 North Charlotte street.

Present at the meeting were Daniel Weidner, Nancy Suppke, H. Henry Burden, Laura DeVries, Dorothy Arndt, May Kruppeneck, Dorothy Barkel, Alice Moser, Martha Kuehler, Bernice Levingood,

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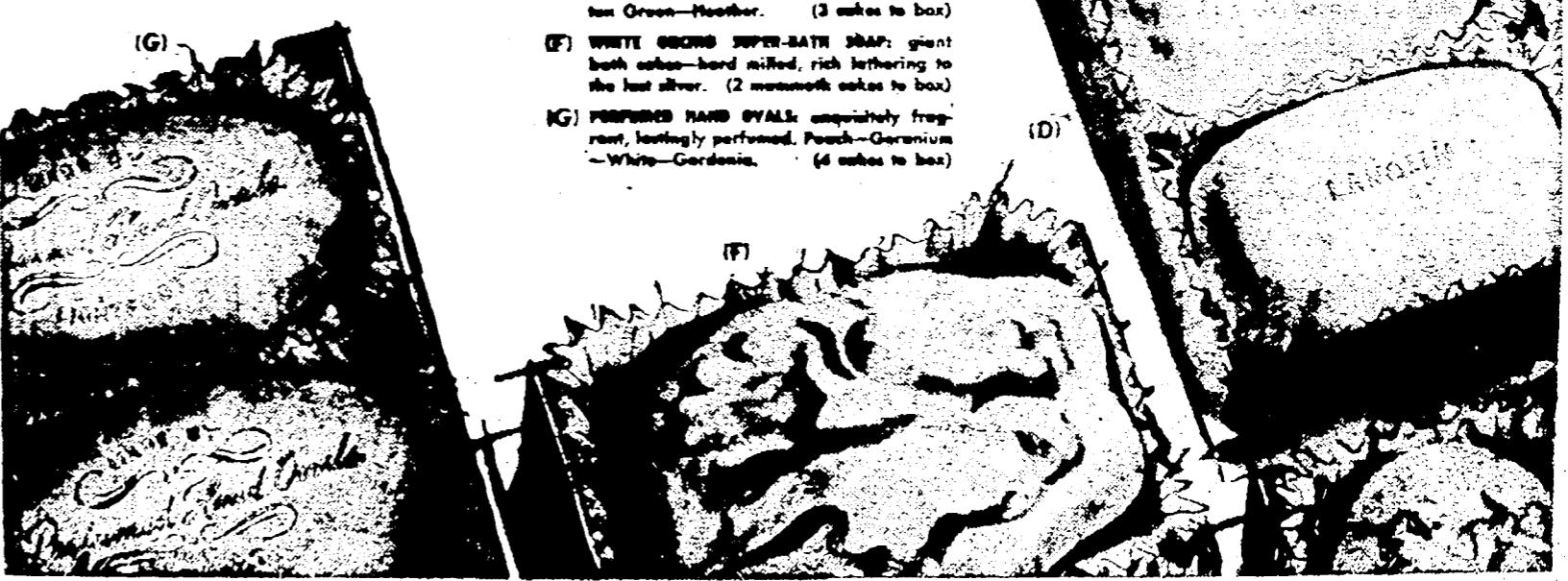
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Vacationing

With
Mercury ReadersBy THE VACATION EDITOR
of The Mercury Staff

Some people are enabled to take an annual vacation simply because they do a neat trick of keeping within a budget the remainder of the year.

This process of bookkeeping is as old as the hills. Adam and Eve were the first to practice it; they initiated the loose-leaf system. Nowadays, of course, there are numerous systems.

There are some lucky dogs who don't need a budget, when they know how to "juggle" their firms' books" in a most lucrative manner. It's too bad that everyone can't be president of a company, even though there is a disadvantage to it—no chance for advancement.

Some people get ahead by taking advantage of their friends. Others don't have any friends to take advantage of. It's been proven time and time again that the best way to get ahead, is to have one.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mosleh, 1012 Queen street, said, "Hello to all our friends from Quebec, Canada," where they're spending their vacation. Shown on their card is a stately structure in a park at Ste Anne de Beaupre, P. O.

Robert Gibble, and Ernest and Adolph Hurns, 183 Sheridan street, are spending a month's vacation in California. "Having a good time," they said. "We arrived in Calif-

Modesto, Calif., at night

ornia Wednesday morning and expect to start home sometime around the first. The postcard shows "I" street at night in Modesto, Calif.

Here's two cards from Lewistown, where Charlotte and Billy Butt passed through on their vacation

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County Students To Vie for Prizes In Slogan Contest

A bicycle will be the grand prize in a Safety Slogan contest, sponsored by the Montgomery county Safety council; it was announced after a meeting of the slogan committee of the council, held in Norristown yesterday.

The contest is open to all school children in the county, in public, parochial, or private schools. It will open on the first day of school and close Sept. 26.

E. Russell Matz, Hatfield, secretary of the council, said that numerous other prizes have been offered by civic clubs and other organizations interested in the safety program of the council.

To arouse greater interest in the contest, safety patrols of schools, and school teachers throughout Montgomery county are cooperating in furthering the Safety Slogan contest.

O. C. Bearcraft, manager of the Pottstown Automobile club, is chairman of the county safety council.

BICYCLE STOLEN

Raymond Wilkinson, of 778 North Adams street, Monday night reported to police the theft of a bicycle from his premises. It is a girl's bicycle.

returning to Pottstown. I shall have visited Mexico, too."

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Army Commander Blasts News Articles Charging 'Abuses'

LEGHORN, Italy, Aug. 19 (UPI)—Lt. Gen. John C. H. Lee, commander of the U. S. Army's Mediterranean theatre of operations, said today articles published in American newspapers charging "abuses" in the theater had "not only done an injustice" to his command, but also "a disservice to the United States."

As a sequel to appearance of these articles the Army invited American correspondents stationed in Rome to come to Leghorn to look over Lee's command. Ten writers accepted. The articles were written by Robert C. Ruark, a Scripps-Howard staff writer.

Also as a sequel to Ruark's charges Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, the Army Chief of Staff, ordered the Army's Inspector General, Maj. Gen. Ira T. Wyche, to come to Italy to investigate Lee, his staff and the

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entire operational system of the theater. Wyche arrives tomorrow.

Wyche charged that in Gen. Lee's command:

1. "There has been and continues to be a lavish waste of tax money."

2. "There is a really frightful misuse of the privileges of rank," including an overworking of the saluting rule and the employment of soldiers on menial, personal tasks for officers over long periods of the day and night.

3. "There is brutality and consistent degradation and humiliation of the men."

TREASURY BALANCE

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19 (UPI)—The position of the Treasury Aug. 15: Receipts \$172,901,455.44; expenditures \$31,783,390.44; balance \$3,653,445,312.99; total debt \$55,830,304,224.99; increase over previous day \$2,704,700.72.

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CORRECTION

Due to erroneous information from the authorities. The Mercury recently stated that Paul Ernest and Richard Wentzel, of Douglassville, were arrested Aug. 8 following a fight in the Wallace Cafe, 12 South Hanover street. According to Justice of the Peace Raymond C. Kelley, second ward, the three men instead

were involved in an alteration in the cafe of Charles Jacobs, Hanover and Queen streets, and Jacobs swore out the warrants. Each of the defendants paid \$10 fine and costs as a disorderly conduct charge at a hearing before Kelley.

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NEWSPAPERARCHIVE

Mrs. Ralph Rutter Entertains Class Of Shenkel Church

Plans for a pie and cake sale to be held September 5 were discussed at the recent meeting of the Truth Seekers class of the Shenkel Reformed church at a meeting in the home of Mrs. Ralph Rutter, 111 Zion avenue, Hanover Heights.

The pie-in-the-box was won by Mrs. George Yocom, the gift being donated to Mrs. Donald Maure and Lester Yocom won the game prize. This prize was given by the hostess.

It was announced that the next meeting will be held September 15 at the home of Mrs. Harold Scherer, 15 South Franklin street.

Refreshments were served and Mrs. Yocom, president, presided over the meeting.

Mitch Residence Scene of Shower

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mutch, Buens road, Pottstown RD 4, recently honored Mr. and Mrs. William Fuzz at a surprise shower.

Mr. and Mrs. Fuzz received lovely and useful gifts.

Guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mitch, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Polladino, Mr. and Mrs. William Fuzz Sr. and son, Dale, Mr. and Mrs. William Seasholtz, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Koren and children, Rita, Nicholas, Thomas and Jimmy, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Mitch and daughter, Mary Ann, Mrs. Grace Terwilliger and daughter, Grace, Mrs. Pearl Cameron and daughter, Patsy, Mrs. Ethel Wassalluck, Miss June Fuzz, Miss Jeannette Passalak, Mr. Al Peters, Joseph, Robert, Caroline, Ronald, William and Patricia Mitch. Guests were also present from Reading and Philadelphia.

HOSPITALS

MEMORIAL
Admitted: Regina Koren, 352 Cherry street, surgical. Mrs. Dorothy Trainer, Stowe, surgical; Mrs. Marion Buchanan, Schenckville, maternity; Mrs. Bessie Dufender, Gilbertsville, medical; Paul R. Seiler, Stowe, medical; Joseph Prymoyer, 616 Beech street, surgical.

Admitted and Discharged: Warren Delp Jr., Birdsboro, surgical; Grove Sheetz, 522 King street, medical.

Discharged: Mrs. Marjorie Bierert, Joanna, maternity; Mrs. Doris Downing, Pottstown RD 2, maternity; Emil Spangenberg, Schenckville, medical; John Piezonka, Phoenixville, medical.

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Admitted: Dr. John Anastasia, 63 High street, surgical, Mrs. Miriam Wren, Boertown, maternity; Mary Batman, 133 South Keim street, surgical; Anna Klunk, 201 North Keim street, surgical; Paul Galloway, 44 High street, surgical; Adele Scott, 236 Minter, medical; Louis Sabo, Stowe, surgical.

Discharged: Adeline Fontana, Stowe, medical; Jennie Zimmerman, Box 566, Pottstown, medical.

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Friendship Company Okays Plans to Buy A New Ambulance

A recommendation to purchase a community ambulance was approved at a special meeting of Friendship Fire company, Royersford, last night.

The committee recommended the purchase of the first vehicle which was considered, the one which was demonstrated here several weeks ago. The cost will approximate \$5625. Delivery is to be made within six months.

The recommendation was made last night by the committee which was appointed by the fire company July 1. Granville Rambo is the chairman. Other members are Paul Sett, Fred Pennypacker and Donald Maier. This committee had visited 20 or more places inspecting various type ambulances and had under consideration bids from eight or ten companies.

The one finally selected is a body manufactured by a concern in Freeport, Ill., mounted on a chassis powered by a straight-eight cylinder, 165 horsepower motor built by a leading automobile company. The order for the purchase of the ambulance will be placed with a Philadelphia distributor of the vehicle.

The custom engine supplies more speed and pulling power than ever will be needed for ambulance service.

Of post-war styling design, this model ambulance features comfortable ventilation, one-way mirror glass in the rear quarter openings, magic-trol panes in side windows, Pullman type window shades, a pre-set adjustment power operated front seat with a split compartment behind it and conveniently located first-aid, linen, tool and spare tire compartments.

The matter of financing of the new ambulance was deferred for a later meeting, but it was understood a campaign will be waged to solicit funds in the community. Drivers will be on a volunteer basis.

Norristown Woman Honored at Party

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Oehlert, Royersford RD 1, gave a birthday supper Sunday in honor of their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Paul Oehlert, of Norristown. Attending besides Mr. and Mrs. Oehlert and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weisel, Norristown, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Oehlert and family, Royersford RD.

Hospital Notes

A son was born in Phoenixville hospital to Mr. and Mrs. William Howe, Spring City.

Mrs. Norman Mattis, Spring City, was admitted to the hospital.

Elsie Shoots, 536 South Main street, Spring City, was discharged from the hospital yesterday.

The first Spanish mainland settlement in South America was founded in 1509 by Alonso de Ojeda on the Gulf of Uraba, Colombia.

1947 CHESTER COUNTY TAXES

Ivan March will collect 1947 County Taxes at the following designated places from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., D.S.T., at . . .

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Chemical Reaction Takes Worker's Life

BLOOMFIELD, N. J., Aug. 19 (AP) — Dorothy L. Burns, 31, died yesterday at her home, nine months after she filed a \$2,000,000 suit charging that she suffered radioactive poisoning while working on atomic research at the Westinghouse Electric corporation lamp division here.

Essex county Chief Medical Examiner Harrison B. Maryland said an autopsy report attributed the death to "delayed chemical pneumonitis," which he described as a new form of occupational disease.

The suit, which is still pending, is expected to be tried this Fall. Harry Conn of Newark, counsel for Miss Burns said. He said that the administrator of her estate will be substituted as plaintiff.

The complaint charged that she was "injurious invaded and affected" by uranium and similar materials used in nuclear research in the Bloomfield plant.

Billbo Greatly Improved Following Weak Spell

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 19 (AP) — Senator Theodore G. Bilbo (D-Miss.) whose political ups and down have attracted nationwide attention sat up in his hospital bed today and announced, "I am feeling much better."

The Bilbo statement followed an early morning report that he had suffered a "weak spell."

Yesterday doctors had tied off a vein in what they described as a "minor operation" to prevent a blood clot in Bilbo's lungs from reaching his heart. Prior to the operation the hospital had considered his condition serious enough to warrant a system of periodic bedside reports to the night superintendent. Last night this was discontinued and the senator was done in "fine condition" before he went to sleep.

The Mayan Indians had no knowledge of the wheel, the true arch, or iron, bronze, and copper tools but managed stupendous engineering feats.

Prizes were presented and games were played. Bette Jane DePietro, Paolo, Doris Hunsberger and Arleen Tompkins were in charge of the sports program.

55 Members Attend Yerk Family Reunion

Montgomery County park was the setting for the 20th annual reunion of the Yerk family which was held Saturday with 55 members present.

Officers elected were Herschel Wright, Royersford, president; William Hunsberger, Royersford, vice-president; Charles Wright, treasurer; Eva Yerk, secretary, and Mrs. Anna Kirk, historian, all of Twin Boroughs.

Mrs. Kirk reported three weddings and three births during the year.

Oldest attending was James Wright, 77, Royersford. Charles Griffiths, aged 11 weeks, Totowa, N. J., was the youngest. Mr. and Mrs. James Wright, Albany, Ga., came the greatest distance.

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PERSONALS

Set. Richard Thren, radar division, U. S. Army Air Forces, who has been stationed at Boca Raton, Fla., is spending a 20-day delay-in-route in Royersford visiting his home, before leaving for a new station, at Hamilton Field, Calif., where he reports Sept. 12. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Thren Sr., Adams street.

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Obituaries

MISS CARRIE M. DONNERGER, 323 HIGH STREET, died in the Sacred Heart hospital, Allentown, Monday night, after she had been a patient for two days.

Born in Elendale, Miss. Doneberger lived in Pottstown most of her life, and worked as a dressmaker. She was a member of Zion's Reformed church.

She became ill in May but was able to visit her sister, Mrs. Robert R. Bortz, Allentown, a week ago, at which time she became worse and was taken to the hospital.

In addition to her sister, Miss Doneberger is survived by a brother, Charles S. Doneberger Jr., 323 High street.

Funeral services will be held at 3 p. m. from a funeral home at 404 High street, with interment following in Pottstown West End cemetery.

The Rev. Howard A. Kosman, pastor of Zion's Reformed church, will officiate.

WILLIAM HARRISON HAWS, 77, UNION TOWNSHIP, BERKS COUNTY, retired carpenter, died in the Odd Fellows home, Middletown, yesterday morning.

He entered the Lodge home ten months ago and was in failing health the past six months.

A lifelong resident of Union township, until he entered the home, he was born in the township, son of the late Jacob and Elizabeth (Kupp) Haws. He was a carpenter all his life until he retired ten years ago. His wife, Mary E. (Strunk) Haws, died in 1943.

He was a charter member of the IOOF, Douglassville; POS of A, Douglassville, and Temple Methodist church. Funeral arrangements were not completed last night.

DROWNS IN MILL POND

SPARTANSBURG, Aug. 19 (AP) — Kenneth Flick, 25, of near Spartansburg, drowned today in a mill pond on the clear lake outlet near here. He had been swimming in the pond with a group of friends and fellow workers from Spartansburg.

He was a charter member of the IOOF, Douglassville; POS of A, Douglassville, and Temple Methodist church. Funeral arrangements were not completed last night.

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Camera Catches News Highlights Here and Abroad



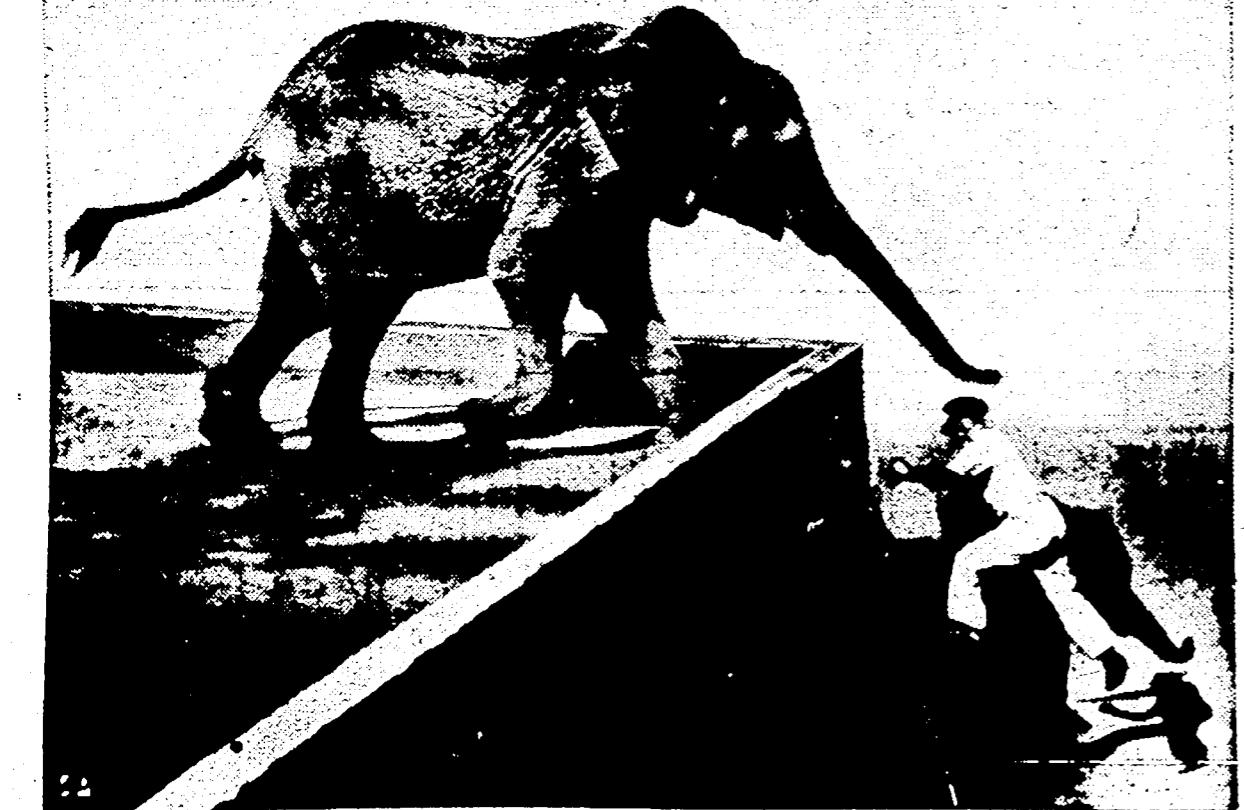
PARALYZED SINCE CHILDHOOD, Mary Ellen Kelly of Marcus, Ill., is shown with Archbishop Francis J. L. Beckman of Dubuque, Iowa, on her arrival in Chicago. Mary will lead 100 invalids in a visit to Chicago's St. Peter's Church for a Solemn Benediction before they leave for Montreal. There after a grand Novena at St. Joseph's Oratory and a visit to the Shrine of Our Lady of the Holy Rosary and the famed Basilica of St. Anne de Beaupre in Quebec, they hope to be able to cast aside their wheelchairs and crutches and to walk again. (International)



FOUND HELPLESS recently beside a road, this fawn was picked up by Ben Acola, of Trenton, N.J., and brought home. Named "Lady," the little animal is fed by Acola's niece, Florence Silvia, as neighboring playmates look on enviously. In order to keep the fawn, Acola had to get special permission from Fish and Game officials. (International)



U. S. SECRETARY OF STATE George C. Marshall is shown conferring with Raul Fernandes (right), Brazil's Foreign Minister, at a session of the Inter-American Conference in Petropolis, Brazil. In center is William Pawley, United States Ambassador to Brazil. (International Radiophoto)



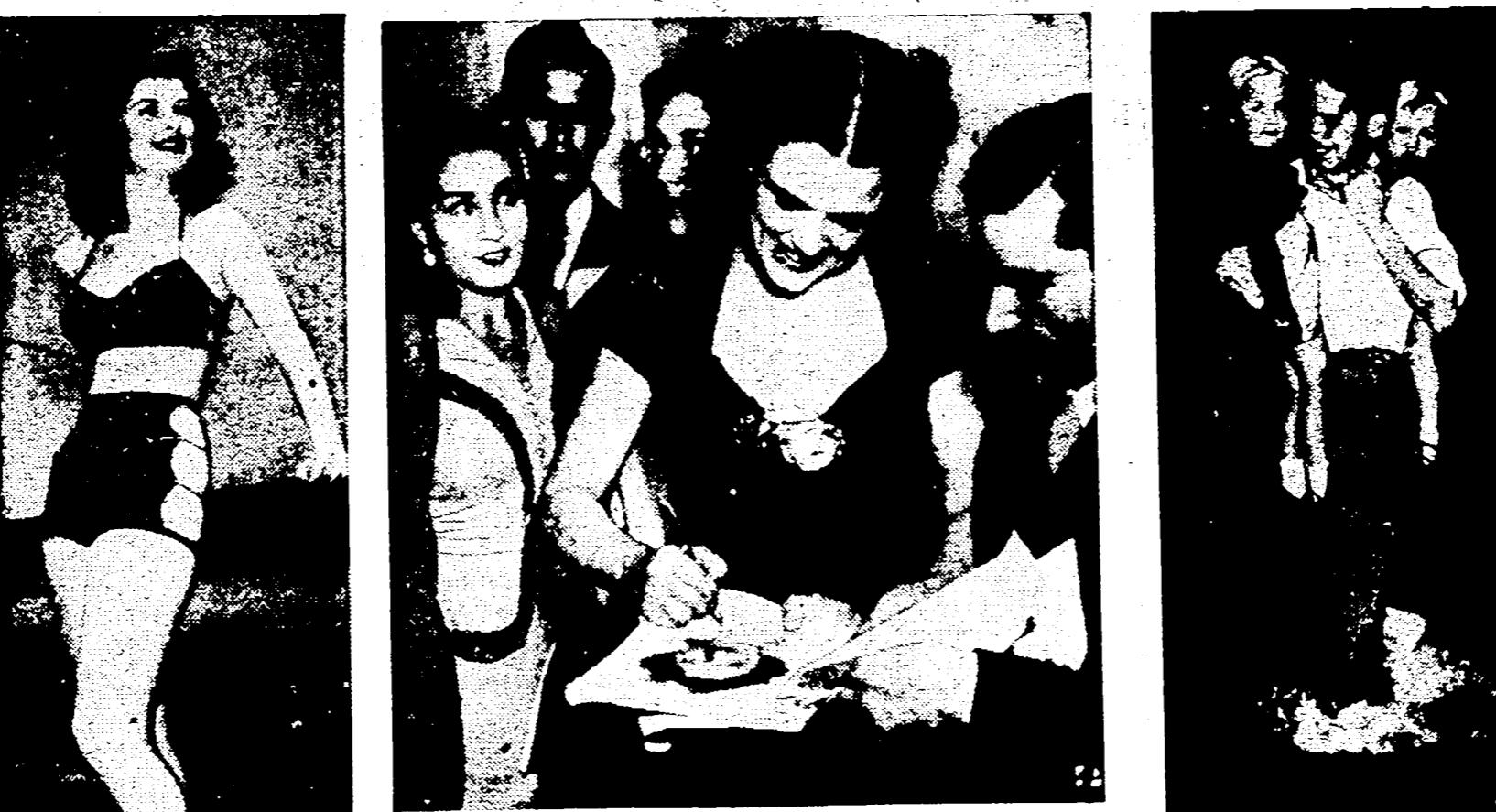
DISGRUNTLED ELEPHANT—Cheri, African elephant newly arrived at a Sydney, Australia, zoo, doesn't like her new home and chooses an attendant bringing food.



FRENCH CYCLISTS IN ACTION—Contestants in the professional road speed championship for cyclists whiz around a turn in the course which traverses the region near Reims, France.



STREET BARTER—Two Yugoslav peasant women barter over a garment in the market place of Sarajevo, scene of the assassination in 1914 of Archduke Francis of Austria.



MEXICAN OPERA FANS—Winifred Heldt, concert and opera contralto from north of the border, signs autographs for fans who crowded her dressing room in Mexico City following her appearance in "Samson and Delila."



PET FOX RETRIEVED—Lewis Baker, Chicago cab driver, enjoys a reunion with his pet fox, Fuzzum Wuzzum, who somehow got into the check room of a tavern and had to be removed by an arm of the Anti-Cruelty Society.



STAR OF THE PET SHOW held in Ladera Park, Los Angeles, "Jumbo," a turtle, is so delighted at being awarded first prize that he gives his two mistresses, Susan and Ellen Grabau, a nice ride. "Jumbo," slow but sure, is shown pulling them along in their play wagon. (International)



TWO MONTHS PREMATURE, the triplets born to Mrs. Leonard J. Snyder, of Philadelphia, are held by nurses in the hospital. The trio, two boys and a girl, each weighing about four pounds, came as a complete surprise to the Snyders, who had expected only one addition to their family. The Snyders have four other children. (International Soundphoto)



A FATHER "ferries" his two children across a flooded street after a 48-inch water main pipe broke in Manhattan, N.Y., flooding a 15-block area. Hundreds of families were deprived of water and many New York City residents were forced to wade through the streets in their bare feet. (International)



IN THEIR FIRST POSTWAR TRAINING PERIOD at the 125,000-acre base at Pendleton, Calif., Marine reservists practice marksmanship with a 135 mm. self-propelled gun, called the "Long Tom." The weapon is powerful enough to destroy a heavy tank with one shot. "Let's be Prepared," was the slogan adopted by the more than 2,000 Marine reservists who participated in the field maneuvers. (International Soundphoto)



Members of American and British Wightman Cup tennis teams enjoy spot of tea between sessions at Forest Hills, L. L.

Cardinals Hand Dodgers 11-3 Setback

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BROOKLYN, Aug. 19 (AP) — Lefty Al Brazle, a "sleeper" whose tantalizing curve ball was very much alive today, teamed up with his battery mate, catcher Del Rice to halt temporarily at least, Brooklyn's pennant march by leading the St. Louis Cardinals to an easy 11-3 victory over the Dodgers. A crowd of 33,465 paying customers saw the third of the four-game series at Ebbets field.

The Redbirds' victory reduced the Dodgers' first place National league lead to 5 1/2 games and snapped the Brooks' mastery over the Cards which had endured through five consecutive games.

Having pouted three front line pitchers — Howard, Follett, Harry Brecheen and George Munger — into the disastrous double defeat yesterday, and with his fourth starter Murry Dickson needing another day of rest, Manager Eddie Dyer of St. Louis had to pick Brazle who had not started a game since July 11.

The slender southpaw rewarded his pilot by stopping the Dodgers with eight safeties and one run until the 90 degree heat and a belated Dodger rally forced his retirement in the ninth. Jim Hearn, a right-hander replaced Brazle and was touched for two more hits and a pair of runs before he retired the side.

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NEW YORK, Aug. 19 (AP) — Eddie Miller drove in six runs with a two-run single and a bases loaded homer tonight to pace the Cincinnati Reds to an 8-1 victory over the New York Giants. The loss was the Giant's eighth in a row.

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Some of the finest horses in the east have entered for the exhibit, including Hydraulic, owned by Donald W. Moore, West Chester. This horse, grand champion of the 1946 horse show here, has not been entered in any show this season.

Others include Coq. de Combat, an imported French horse, owned by Brigadier Gen. and Mrs. C. B. Lyman, Pocockson; Sun Bunny, owned by Rene Lambot, Chestnut Hills; Mary Acres, Robins, owned by Elizabeth D. Whalen, Fairview Village; My Chance, owned by Charles Kup, Phoenixville; Cassadoll, Phyllis Rose, Brynwyn; General, William Brower, Pughtown, and Edith's Miss and Sox, owned by Michael Hyden, Phoenixville RD.

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Governor Duff Visits Summer Camp Site Of National Guard

INDIANTOWN GAP, Aug. 19 (AP)—Gov. James H. Duff paid an unscheduled visit to the postwar Summer encampment of Pennsylvania National Guard today.

For two hours the governor, who made an official review of the camp the past Sunday, watched firing of the big guns on the rifle range and then made an inspection of each infantry area.

To get a better view of the target practice, Duff climbed to the observation tower and viewed the work of five artillery units, the 168th and 180th Field Artillery, of Philadelphia; the 299th, New Castle; the 10th Pittsburgh and the 109th Wilkes-Barre.

After spending two hours on the range, Duff, accompanied by officers of the encampment, made a close inspection of the various infantry areas. He visited the barracks, hospital and other buildings, checking the food, clothing issued to the guardsmen and other details of the camp.

The 28th quartermaster company, Altona, commanded by Capt. Lamont Goetz, was called into formation during the noon hour and congratulated by Brig. Gen. Daniel B. Stricker for having acquired the distinction of being the first unit in the nation to attain full unit enlisted strength.

The backbone of the Pennsylvania National Guard is in the local communities," Brig. Gen. Frank A. Weber, State adjutant general said in a statement. He pointed to a decision by the Veterans of Foreign Wars to take an active part in National Guard activities as "another example of community action without which we cannot attain our recruiting goal."

Family Picnic Held By Optimist Club

The Pottstown Optimist club held their meeting last night in the form of a family picnic at the Cedarville home of Charles Lamour.

Approximately 40 persons, including members, their wives and children, spent the evening at the Optimists' last picnic for the summer, according to Mrs. Harry E. Sowers, wife of the secretary of the organization.

No regular business meeting was held last night.

Final Swimming Party Today at West Pottsgrove

A large number of boys and girls expected to attend the fifth and last swimming party of the season at West Pottsgrove playground this afternoon.

The playground's softball team meets Trinity Reformed tomorrow at 6:30 p.m. in a semi-final playoff game. The team is sponsored by Francis Donnan of the Recreation committee.

Nearly 300,000 home fires occurred last year in the United States.

There's a Load Off Her Heart



At Johns Hopkins hospital, Baltimore, Md., where she is recovering from a rare heart operation, Geraldine Vest, 18, is shown taking nourishment from Nurse Sonia Yphantis. A bony shell that formed about Geraldine's heart made it impossible for that vital organ to function normally. She might have become a hopeless invalid or met an early death, it was learned, had not the shell been removed.

Brothers Use Dry Ice To Make Rain Fall

to from 18,000 to 20,000 feet. They poured the dry ice into the cloud through the plane's camera hatch.

PEORIA, Ill., Aug. 19 (AP)—Two Peorians took up Mark Twain's challenge today and did something about the weather.

William Kraft, a former Navy pilot, and his brother, Jack, shoveled a load of dry ice from their airplane into a cumulus cloud. A few minutes later rain pelted the scorched, dry streets of Peoria.

A third brother, Robert, kept in contact with the flight by radio on the ground.

The Krafts sighted a cloud over Metamora, near here, and climbed

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Burgess Reprimands Youths for Gambling

A police call at 10 o'clock yesterday morning was answered by Patrolman Stanley Bowery. He rounded up four youths who had been playing cards under a tree on the premises of the Pottstown Cold Storage and Warehouse company, Penn and South streets.

The youths were taken to Borough hall, where they were given a sharp reprimand by Burgess William A. Griffen who pointed out the evils of gambling. Chief of Police James A. Laughhead also warned the boys against a repetition of

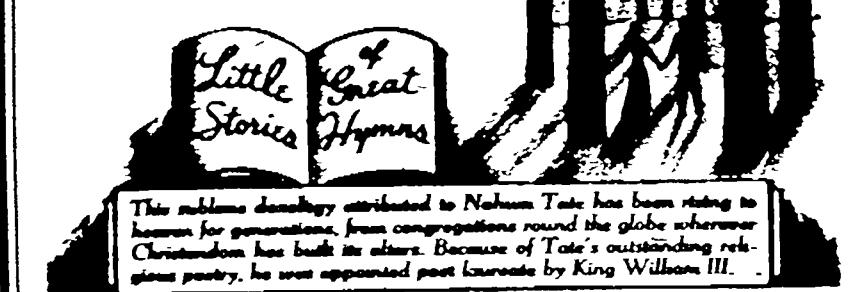
the offense. They are 16 to 17 years of age.

Chief of Police Laughhead also gave a reprimand to three youths who were taken to Borough hall by Robert Hoppe, who is plant protection manager here for the Bethlehem Steel company. The boys were charged with taking lumber from the plant premises.

Gum is soft and dusty and on the south side of coniferous trees. So a gun will not work, a rope will not hold, gas burns my eyes. So I am taking this way."

BE THOU, O GOD, EXALTED HIGH

Be Thou, O God, exalted high
And as Thy glory fills the sky
So let it be on earth displayed
Till Thou art here as there obeyed.



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A Statement by DR. ABBA HILLEL SILVER, Chairman of the American Zionist Emergency Council

TWO British sergeants who had been kidnapped by the Irgun and held as hostages were hanged after three condemned Irgunists had been hanged by the British authorities in Palestine. These sergeants were innocent of any crime. The Irgun was not vested by the Jewish community in Palestine with any authority to judge, sentence or execute men. The conditions attending their execution were particularly revolting. The Jewish Agency and the Vaad Leumi joined in a strong condemnation "of the dastardly murder of these two innocent men."

Taken in and by itself, this tragic occurrence will evoke a natural repulsion which may obscure the full lamentable story of which this is only a part. Justice and fairness, however, demand that we keep the entire picture in proper focus.

Upon learning of the execution of Sgt. Martin, a member of his family in Coventry, England, told reporters: "We do blame the Government. They should have waited. Surely they know now how desperate these people are and they could have waited until our lads were safe before executing those terrorists."

Why, indeed, did the British Government not wait? What was the frantic rush to hang those three Irgunists? The UN Special Committee on Palestine, foreseeing the possible unfavorable repercussions that execution of three death sentences pronounced by a military court in Jerusalem would have, had recommended a delay.

Why did the British Government refuse to heed the plea of this impartial body representing the United Nations and earnestly bent upon the finding of a solution for the tortuous Palestine problem? Why were the sentencing of these men, the confirmation of their sentence, and their execution timed to coincide with the period of the UN Committee's investigation? It was surely clear to everyone that this would provoke violence and bloodshed. The Special Assembly of the United Nations, anxious to afford its Committee of Inquiry every opportunity to work in an atmosphere of calm and order, had called

"upon all Governments and peoples, and particularly on the inhabitants of Palestine, to refrain pending action by the General Assembly on the report of the special committee on Palestine, from the threat or use of force or any other action which might create an atmosphere prejudicial to an early settlement of the question of Palestine."

Why did not the Government of Palestine, the one government most directly concerned, cooperate?

For over a year now, so-called illegal immigrants who arrived off the shore of Palestine were trans-shipped by the Mandatory Government to Cyprus. This was a bitter enough disappointment to the helpless refugees and to the Jews of Palestine. Thirty-two such boatloads of refugees had thus been sent to Cyprus. Why was this policy suddenly changed during the meeting of the United Nations Committee in Palestine? Why were the refugees on EXODUS 1947—4,500 men, women and children—forced to return to Europe? This ship was

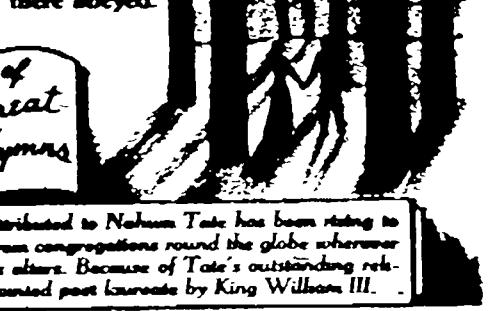
Suicide Note Released in Farmer's Death

DIXART, Ia., Aug. 19 (UPI)—Coroner John R. Burrows, describing the death as a suicide, today released the following note left by farmer Milo Zmolek, 46, whose body was found in a farm well:

"A gun will not work, a rope will not hold, gas burns my eyes. So I am taking this way."

BE THOU, O GOD, EXALTED HIGH

Be Thou, O God, exalted high
And as Thy glory fills the sky
So let it be on earth displayed
Till Thou art here as there obeyed.



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ish funeral procession. Similar pogroms were perpetrated in other parts of Palestine.

These acts were undoubtedly irresponsible acts of reprisal, just as were the acts of the Irgunists. Is the British Government prepared to assume responsibility for these dastardly crimes, as they would wish the Jewish community to assume responsibility for the deeds of the Irgunists? Will Mr. Creech-Jones and the British press denounce them as bitterly as they have denounced the slaying of the two British soldiers, and will they call for the arrest and punishment of the murderers?

What is the root of all this evil and corruption? Lawlessness breeds lawlessness. The lawlessness of the unsanctioned British policy aimed at defeating the clear purpose of the Mandate and the Balfour Declaration has led to violence, resentment, punishment, reprisal and counter-reprisal, to the creation of a Jewish underground movement which Jewish authorities are unable to control, and to hooliganism on the part of British troops which the Palestine Government seems to be unable to control.

Where will all this end? The British Government is maintaining today over 100,000 troops in Palestine at a time when it is forced to consider withdrawing its troops from Germany Italy and Greece because it is short of funds, because it is short of manpower to run its industry at home. These 100,000 troops, maintained at high cost, have not brought peace to the Holy Land. They have brought war. The British Navy is now waging war upon helpless women and children. British forces are being used by Mr. Bevin to impose a blind and blundering policy upon Palestine which he knows cannot be enforced. That policy must be quickly abandoned, before anarchy sweeps over the Holy Land.

The United Nations Committee is to submit its report within four weeks. All men of good will hope that this report may pave the way to a just and satisfactory solution of the Palestine problem. The British Government can make a major contribution to the pacification of Palestine if it will abandon the EXODUS practice of forcibly returning Jewish refugees to Europe and if it will refrain from similar acts of provocation. The Irgun had observed an "armistice" all through the period of the inquiry of the UN Committee until the Palestine Government pronounced the sentence of death upon its men, a sentence which might well have been delayed if reason and political judgment had prevailed. The Haganah has not only maintained law and order, but it fought in every way short of provoking civil war, to curb the activities of the dissident Jewish groups. It could not, and cannot, however, stand idly by in the face of acts such as the Government's practical attack upon the EXODUS and the intensified campaign against Jewish immigration.

Men of good-will seeking for peace will endeavor to keep the total picture in mind, in judging events and in assaying responsibilities.

Abba Hillel Silver